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INFO AMEMBASSY DACCA PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINT, PK

SUBJECT: COUNTRY GENERALLY QUIET

1. THE COUNTRY REMAINS GENERALLY QUIET WITH MARTIAL LAW STILL
IMPOSED IN KARACHI, LAHORE AND HYDERABAD. CONGENS KARACHI AND
LAHORE ARE REPORTING SEPARATELY ON SECURITY SITUATION IN THEIR
AREAS. WITH IMPOSITION OF PRE-CENSORSHIP, PAKISTANI PRESS HAS
BECOME ANODYNE AND DULL COLLECTION OF GOVERNMENT HAND-OUTS,
INTERNATIONAL NEWS, AND GOVERNMENT ADS. INDEPENDENT NAWA-I-WAQT
HAS BEGUN TO PRINT WITH BLANK SPACES WHERE CENSORED NEWS HAS
BEEN LEFT OUT. CIRCULATION FOR NAWA-I-WAQT HAS REPORTEDLY
DROPPED FROM 300,00 TO 100,000 DURING PAST THREE DAYS BECAUSE
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OF LACK OF HARD NEWS.

2. WESTERN JOURNALISTS IN PESHAWAR REPORT APPROXIMATELY 1500
PNA SUPPORTERS MARCHED IN THE CITY YESTERDAY FROM THE OLD
CITY TO PNA OFFICE, WHERE THEY WERE HARANGUED BY OPPOSITION
LEADERS, AND THEN PEACEFULLY DISPERSED.
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